

JUST A MOMENT, PLEASE.

We wish to say to the people of Roanoke and vicinity that our entire stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Cloaks, etc., must be closed out by December 15, and to do this we are now selling regardless of cost.

Bargains in Dress Goods,

Bargains in cloaks, bargains in staple goods, and in fact everything we have at the prices at which we are now selling is a bargain. Many goods way below cost and nothing above cost.

IN DRESS GOODS

We still have nearly everything desired. All wool silk wraps, 38-inch henriettes, sold for \$1. at 80 cts; all wool silk finish, 40-inch henriettes, sold for \$1. at 80 cts; all wool 40-inch henriettes, sold for 85 cts. now 62 1/2 cts.; all wool 38-inch henriettes, sold for 50 cts. now 37 1/2 cts.; all wool 38-inch henriettes, sold for 37 1/2 cts. now 25 cts.

IN CLOAKS

We have a full line of plush wraps, minkes, new markets and jackets, and we can save you the profits other houses are making.

IN STAPLE GOODS

WE HAVE

Fruit of the loom, bleached, 8 1/2 cts. Lonsdale, bleached, 8 1/2 cts. Lonsdale, cambric, 10 1/2 cts. Wamsutter, bleached, 11 cts. New York mills, 11 cts. Pride of the west, bleached, 12 1/2 cts. Morpott, 4-4 brown cotton, 6 cts. Dundee, 4-4 brown cotton, 6 cts. Mohawk valley, 10-4 bleached sheeting, 24 cts. worth 35 cts. Utica, 10-4 bleached sheeting, 27 cts. worth 35 cts. Pepperell, 10-4 bleached sheeting, 22 1/2 cts. Clark's O. N. T. spool cotton, 4 cts. per spool, 43 cts. per dozen. It will pay you to examine our stock before purchasing.

WM. F. BAKER & CO.

134 Salem avenue.

ENTIRE STOCK

—OF—

Fresh and Desirable

Dry Goods

—AT—

COST FOR CASH.

Mr. Davis having determined to make a change in his Roanoke branch early in the ensuing year has instructed us to offer the entire stock of

DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS

—FROM THIS DATE AT—

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No such opportunity has ever been offered the citizens of Roanoke to supply themselves with New, Fresh and desirable

DRY -- GOODS,

At the commencement of the season at such low figures. We mean just what we say. We shall offer the entire stock

AT COST

And invite the attention of every one to the unexampled Bargains we shall place before them.

GEO. H. DAVIS & CO.,

JULIAN H. LEY, manager.

A FEW PLAIN FACTS.

Rosenbaum Bros. are not selling at cost, but are offering their stock of Fall Dress Goods and Millinery cheaper than any other house in the city.

NO OLD STOCK TO SELECT FROM.

Our goods are fresh and the selection the best, viz: All wool serges in plaid, stripes, plain and side bands, habit cloth in all colors, finest quality imported henriettes, cloths, cashmeres and flannels. Our assortment of plain and fancy black dress goods cannot be excelled in quality and price. Faille silks in black and all the new fall shades. Black gros grain silk from 90 cents to \$3.00 per yard. We will enumerate

A Few Special Bargains

Fruit of the loom cotton, 8c. 10c. gingham, full colors, 8c. 7c. gingham, full colors, 5c. All wool flannel, double width, 25c. And numerous other bargains throughout our establishment.

CLOAK DEPARTMENT,

—ON—

THE SECOND FLOOR.

Plush wraps of every description, viz: Long plush coats, three-quarter jackets, short jackets, modjeskas, cloth jackets and long coats, childrens and misses coats in endless varieties—all the latest styles.

Millinery Department.

We carry the largest assortment of fur and wool felt hats, birds' feathers, plushes, velvets and ribbon ever shown before in the city at greatly reduced prices. Full line of muffs and boas. We only ask an inspection of our stock before making your purchases.

ROSENBAUM BROS.

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WILL PARADE.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE RALLY PERFECTED.

THE SPEAKERS TO BE INVITED.

The Clubs of Vinton, Salem and Holins Institute to be Present. The Demonstration Opposed by Leading Citizens.

The several committees appointed by the democratic league Monday night met last night to perfect organization for the contemplated parade Thursday night.

The committees reported good progress. The democrats at the shops, it was stated, had raised a handsome sum among themselves to defray the expenses on the occasion.

Hon. J. Hoge Tyler, our lieutenant governor; J. Hampton Hoge, James W. Marshall, of Craig, and local speakers will be invited to be present. The clubs of this city, Vinton, Salem and Hollins institute have also been invited. The parade will consist of prominent persons in carriages, a number on horseback, the democratic clubs and citizens at large. There will also be fire works, transparencies, colored light torches, etc.

The program of the line of march, etc., will be announced tomorrow. Persons along the line of march are requested by the committee to illuminate their residences. While this parade is gotten up by the Young Men's Democratic league, all democrats, or those thinking with them, are invited to join in the demonstration.

A petition in opposition to having the demonstration was circulated through the city yesterday, and received thirty-seven signatures of prominent business men. The petition this signed was presented to the committee on parade, but they decided that it was best to have the demonstration and laid the request on the table.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Items Gathered Here and There Throughout the City.

—Marcellus Gray was fined \$20 yesterday by the mayor for carrying concealed weapons.

—A business meeting of the directors of Rife's Hydraulic Engine company was held at the office of the company on Campbell street yesterday afternoon.

—In the mayor's court yesterday the case of Walter Lewis, who was charged with resisting an officer, was dismissed and Wiley Arnold was fined \$10 for disorderly conduct.

—Mr. John R. Yates, an employee of the machine works, had his thumb so badly mangled Monday night as to necessitate amputation, which was skillfully performed by Dr. Joseph Gale.

—Mr. Lavender, of Botetourt county, showed a TIMES reporter a rare and valuable coin yesterday. It was made in the year 1,094, nearly 800 years ago. It was discovered on his old place near Tinker mountain.

—Bob Conners, a brakeman on the Norfolk and Western road, had the thumb of his left hand so badly mangled yesterday afternoon while engaged in coupling cars in the yard that he had to have it amputated.

—Judge J. W. Marshall, of Craig, is prominently mentioned as a candidate for auditor of public accounts, and Mr. J. P. Martin, of the same county, is named as an aspirant for sergeant-at-arms of the house of delegates.

—James Rorer, esq., a nephew of Mr. F. Rorer, sr., was elected to the house of delegates by the democrats of Danville. He was a law student at the University of Virginia with John W. Woods, esq., member-elect of the house of delegates.

—Detective W. G. Baldwin arrived here yesterday with requisition papers for Louis Lored, whom he arrested on the Elkhorn on Monday night. He will take the prisoner to Pennsylvania, where he will be tried on the charge of bigamy.

—The police arrested the following parties who were at the dance on Ninth avenue during the shooting there: Rosaline Robinson, Ben Red and Charlie Hunt. George Smith, the man who did the shooting, had not been arrested at last accounts.

—Messrs. Tavener & Airhart, real estate agents, sold yesterday four lots on Patterson avenue, belonging to Captain T. W. Spindle, of Christiansburg, to a gentleman in Lexington for \$3,000. J. W. Woods, esq., sold a lot on the same avenue to W. H. Thomas for \$100.

—Mr. N. K. Eidson, formerly in the office of Ex-City Engineer J. H. Skinner, arrived in this city yesterday from his farm at Mount Sidney, Augusta county. Mr. Eidson says wonderful changes have taken place in this city during his absence of eighteen months.

A Political Rumor. It is rumored that the anti-Mahone republicans will oppose the confirmation of Marshall B. G. Watts, of Tazewell, R. R. Farr, of Fairfax; Dave Bailey, of Washington county; P. H. McCaull, of Lynchburg; and W. E. Craig, of Staunton, for violating the civil service laws by leaving their business as government officers and stumping for Mahone.

Took Two Ounces of Laudanum. Dr. H. E. Jones was sent for hurriedly yesterday morning to see a colored woman named Lucy Prier, who, it was stated, had drunk two ounces of laudanum with suicidal intent. He applied the necessary remedies, and notwithstanding she was in a state of stupor when he arrived, he succeeded in saving her life.

Returned From San Francisco. Captain J. N. Calder returned yesterday from a month's visit to San Francisco, Cal., where he attended a convention of the passenger conductors of the United States. He enjoyed his trip very much, and was agreeably impressed with the beauties and resources of the golden state.

ROANOKE IRON COMPANY.

A Meeting of the Directors Held Yesterday.

At a meeting of the directors of the Roanoke Iron company on the afternoon of the 11th instant in the office of President J. H. Sands, Mr. Henry King, general manager of the company, submitted a report of all the contracts he had made as to work, machinery and material for the west end furnace, all of which contracts were approved and some of which were as follows:

McClure & Ainslie, of Pittsburg, contracted to furnish a blast furnace 17 foot base 82 feet high, four Masick & Crook's hot blast stoves, each 18 feet in diameter and 60 feet high, also all connections, 14 steam boilers 64 inches in diameter and 30 feet long, cable arrangements for hauling ore to the ship hoist, iron water tank 30 feet in diameter and 30 feet high.

From Robin-Rea Manufacturing company, of Pittsburg, two upright blast engines with 84 inch blast cylinder, and 42 inch steam cylinder. Fly wheels 4,000 pounds each. Total weight of each engine 170,000 pounds. From Wilson-Snyder manufacturing company, of Pittsburg: six of the heaviest and latest improved pumps. One hundred and ten thousand fire bricks from E. S. McLain & Son, of Pittsburg.

H. J. Shomo, of this city, has completed the office building at their furnace site. Skinner & Sims, contractors, of Roanoke, are doing all the grading.

The American Bridge company will build the east house, which will be 60 feet wide and 125 feet long; boiler house, 40 feet wide by 110 feet long. The building will be of corrugated iron on cast iron pillars. The Bridge company is also to furnish all the masonry for these two buildings. According to Manager King's report the contracts have all been let and the buildings are to be completed and furnished in operation by the first of May. The furnace will have a capacity of 300 tons per diem, being equal to the Crozer furnaces.

Couldn't Light His Cigar.

A country man who lives back into the mountains, and who consequently has never had an opportunity of getting acquainted with city ways, walked into Wright & Stoll's shoe store the other day to make a purchase. His hair was long and unkempt, and his pants were stuck deep into the depths of a pair of muddy boots. In his mouth he held a cigar, at which he took frequent puffs. He had about concluded his purchase when his cigar refused to light. He tore off a piece of wrapping paper and tried to get a light. Failing he tried again and then again, finally throwing the paper down in disgust: "Dad blast the thing," he said, "they ain't no fire about it now."

Freight Robbers Caught.

Captain W. G. Baldwin and his detective force have at last succeeded in catching two of the gang who have been robbing freight cars on the Norfolk and Western railroad for some months past. They captured Early Robinson in this city about ten days ago, and a short time since caught Wade Charleston and other members of the gang. They would break the seal on a car and after getting what goods they wanted would reseat the door. Robinson and Charleston are also the same negroes who broke into the depot at Bluefield, West Virginia, about two weeks ago, and robbed a car of the Elkhorn division about the 20th of October. The detectives are after the other members of the gang and expect to get them all in a few days.

Somewhat Confused.

Anderson Wright, a colored man, who said he was employed on the Norfolk and Western railroad, created considerable excitement on Norfolk avenue yesterday by claiming to have been defrauded of \$120. He was very much in a state of confusion, and when questioned by the TIMES reporter as to when and where he lost his money he was not able to give anything like an intelligent account of the matter. When told to see the mayor he said the city council was the cause of his losing his money by unjust taxes imposed on him.

Off for the Synod.

Rev. J. E. Bushnell left yesterday afternoon on the 1.40 Norfolk and Western passenger train for Wilmington, North Carolina, where he will attend the Lutheran synod, which meets there on Thursday morning. He was accompanied by Rev. W. E. Hubbard, of Blacksburg, and Rev. Dr. William B. Yonce, and Rev. Dr. L. A. Fox, of Salem. Hon. H. S. Trout will go from Martinsville to Wilmington as a lay delegate to the synod.

If you wish to be at peace with your fellow men, chew spear head and mint julep.

His First Trip Outside the State.

Mr. Isaac Johnson, a worthy citizen of Botetourt county, left by the west bound passenger train of the Norfolk and Western railroad yesterday evening for Dallas county, Texas, to visit his two married daughters, Mrs. Sarah Hamilton and Mrs. Fannie Chapman, who have been living in the Lone Star state four or five years. Although Mr. Johnson is over 70 years old, this will be his first trip outside of his native state.

Gents call for the freight brakeman's and comfort shoes for sale only by E. Goetz, 21 Salem avenue.

Probable Infanticide.

A dead colored baby, which had been born but a short time, was found by Mr. Will Carr, the sign painter, near E. P. McCarthy's old quarry yesterday. Dr. Gray, the coroner, was notified, and after examining the dead body, decided that there were indications that it had come to its death by strangulation.

Choice uncanvassed hams at Martson's.

Go to E. Goetz, 21 Salem avenue, for boots and shoes.

TO MAKE BEER.

A BREWERY TO BE STARTED IN THE CITY.

\$21,000 ALREADY SUBSCRIBED.

Capital Stock \$50,000—Responsible Men at the Back of the Project. A Copartnership Also to be Started.

And now a brewery is to be started here!

Every day adds to the industrial interests of Roanoke, either directly or prospectively, and as time passes changes are wrought which seem more like freaks of fancy than the realization of deep laid plans.

At one time a bridge factory is constructed, then another furnace is added, and while this is going on business blocks and residences are rising from the earth with marvelous rapidity. One industry is followed by another. It is now proposed to add to Roanoke's industries a Brewing company.

A TIMES representative saw the prospectus of the proposed company yesterday. The capital stock of the company is to be \$50,000 divided into 500 shares of \$100 each, payable monthly by 10 per cent assessments.

Of this amount \$21,000 have already been subscribed, and yet but few persons have been so far solicited. The promoters of the scheme and the subscribers to stock are among the most reliable and energetic business men in the city, with whom there is no such word as fail. The brewery will give employment to about thirty men, in connection with it will be a cooper shop for the manufacture of barrels and kegs. As reasons for locating a brewery here the prospectors mention the following facts: There is only one brewery in the state at Alexandria—and Roanoke is the center of a radius of 200 miles in which there is not a single brewery. The best of water for beer making can be obtained here, and the raising of hops would add a very profitable farming industry to the section. Barley growing should be extensively encouraged, and from the refuse of the material used in beer making cattle could be fattened. A meeting for the purpose of organizing a company will soon be held, after which application will be made for a charter and the granting of this will be followed by the building of the brewery.

HUNTINGS COURT.

Judge William Gordon Robertson Presiding. In the hustings court yesterday William Alvis, charged with unlawful shooting, confessed to unlawful assault and was fined \$20. Lafayette Huels was appointed guardian of Jane Hanston. In the case of W. E. Kefauver the jury was not able to agree. In the condemnation proceeding of C. C. Reese vs. the City of Roanoke, relating to the condemnation of lots for sewerage purposes the commissioners made a report.

St. Andrews Society.

The regular monthly meeting of St. Andrews Literary and Benevolent society was held in their hall, corner Fifth avenue and Second street, N. E., last Sunday. The principal feature of the meeting was the installation of officers, who were elected at the previous meeting. The following gentlemen are the officers for the present term: Jno. I. Pfeiffer, president; Will A. Carr, vice-president; R. M. Casey, secretary; John Sheehan, assistant secretary; A. Saunter, treasurer; John McDermott, James Casey, A. O. Connor, stewards; M. Daburgh, trustee. The society is in a flourishing condition. It has a fine hall, with stage fitted with beautiful scenery, a fine piano, library, etc., all of which are at the disposal of any of its members. The society also contemplates holding a grand hop on the 32nd.

Cut With a Hatchet.

In the excitement attending the shooting of the colored man, Briggs, last Monday night, John Dickerson was severely cut on the head with a hatchet. It seems that Dickerson rushed into the house when the shooting was over and Briggs, supposing him to be the man who had shot him, grabbed a hatchet and began to strike his hair with it. Dickerson was removed from the room and yesterday was able to be about. It also appears that Briggs is not as badly hurt as was at first supposed. The ball struck a rib on his right side over the liver and glanced off. His physician, Dr. Sims, says he will be out in a day or two.

The Opera House Last Night.

A large audience greeted the distinguished tragedian, Fred Ward, at the opera house last night. Judging by the deep attention and frequent applause they highly appreciated his talents as displayed in the "Mountebank." All the other characters in the play were well sustained, and as "Virginius" will be given tonight, and Mr. Ward will have a fine field to display his great ability in tragedy, the attendance will no doubt be large.

Gents' hats just received at E. Goetz's, 21 Salem avenue.

Marriage Licenses Granted.

A marriage license was granted yesterday to William Dean and Miss Mattie Bowers, and the two were subsequently married by Rev. Mr. Mead. The groom is from Harrisonburg, Virginia. William J. Willis and Chana Hunter, colored, were also granted permission to wed.

The Situation in Samoa.

MELBOURNE, November 11.—Dispatches from Samoa say that the Germans have gradually withdrawn their support of Tamasese. The report of fighting between the followers of Matfaaa and the followers of Tamasese on the Island of Hawaii is denied.

Gents and ladies hand made shoes at E. Goetz, 21 Salem avenue.

MR. GALLAHER MARRIED.

He Weds Miss Burdette at Charleston, West Virginia.

Special to the TIMES.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., November 12. One of the most interesting events lately occurring in this city was the marriage this evening of Mr. Charles M. Gallaher, of Roanoke, and Miss Minnie Burdette, of this city. The interesting event took place at the First Presbyterian church at 8.30 o'clock, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. T. J. Johnson, of this city. A large number of the elite of Charleston and vicinity were present, and Mr. L. H. Simmons, of Roanoke, was the groom's best man. After the ceremony the newly-married couple were given a reception at the elegant mansion of the bride's father, Captain J. C. Burdette, which was attended by a large number of friends of the contracting parties. The bride and groom, after a tour of ten days or more to several of the northern and eastern cities will return to Roanoke, their future home.

PERSONAL POINTS.

The Comings and Goings of People we Know.

Mr. C. P. Lambert, of Staunton, was in the city yesterday.

Mark L. Spotts, esq., and wife, of Lewisburg, W. Va., were in the city yesterday.

H. C. Lowry, commonwealth attorney of Bedford, who lives at Liberty, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. J. H. Morgan, of Independence, Washington county, Texas, is visiting his brother, E. T. Morgan.

Colonel George L. Peyton, proprietor of Rockbridge Alum Springs, is a guest of Captain R. B. Moorman.

Oswell W. Kelly, a prominent real estate dealer and insurance agent of Liberty, spent yesterday in Roanoke.

Mr. G. E. Creider, who gave the TIMES a description of the Brownsburg tragedy, left yesterday afternoon for Lynchburg.

Rev. Dr. O. F. Flippo and wife will leave this morning for Charlottesville to attend the general Baptist association which meets there tonight.

Superintendent J. G. Osborne, of the western division of the Norfolk and Western railroad, arrived here yesterday from Radford and registered at Hotel Roanoke.

G. A. Turner, esq., returned yesterday from a visit to his mother, Mrs. Frances Turner, of Henry county. Mrs. Turner, although in her 89th year, is convalescing from a serious illness.

Mr. M. H. Clayton, wife and Mr. Mrs. Mary H. Clayton, leave today for Washington city to attend the series of operas being given in the Capital city this week by the Juch opera company.

General Manager Joseph H. Sands, of the Norfolk and Western railroad company, left yesterday afternoon in his special car by way of the Shenandoah Valley railroad, with his family, for a visit to Philadelphia and New York.

Mr. E. A. Wilson, formerly of this city, but now a contractor of Florence, Ala., arrived here yesterday. Mr. Wilson is now engaged in building a wagon bridge over the Tennessee river at Florence. He came to this city several years ago with a corps of engineers on the Shenandoah Valley railroad.

Messrs. W. F. Winch, eminent commander, and Mr. H. N. Claxton, captain general of Bayard Commandery Knights Templar, of this city, left yesterday for Fredericksburg to attend a session of the state grand commandery, which begins in that city at 10 a. m. today. They will be absent from the city several days.

Abraham Lincoln Died in Her Room.

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, November 12.—Mrs. Louise Rector, wife of a local hotel man, died yesterday. She was a native of Washington. To Mrs. Rector's life a valuable historical incident is attached. It was in her room and in her own bed that President Lincoln breathed his last. One of the interesting relics owned by Mrs. Rector was the pillow upon which he died.

Miss Willard Re-Elected.

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, November 12.—Miss Frances E. Willard was re-elected president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance union this morning. The vote was practically unanimous, since on the informal ballot but nine votes were cast for Mrs. J. Allen Foster, of Iowa, who represents the non-partisan element in the convention.

Ex-President Cleveland Will Assist.

By Associated Press. BROOKLYN, N. Y., November 12. Ex-President Cleveland will assist in laying the corner stone of the Thomas Jefferson club's new building, in Boerum Place, this afternoon. The club-house that is to be the local headquarters of the democratic party.

A Norfolk-Bound Steamer Disabled.

By Associated Press. LONDON, November 12.—The British steamer Sicilia, Captain Prideaux, from Liverpool to Norfolk, Va., has returned to Liverpool with her main shaft broken. She has been docked.

Ladies kid hand sewed shoes for \$2.50 at E. Goetz, 21 Salem avenue.

Barnum's Show in England.

By Associated Press. LONDON, November 12.—Barnum's show opened at Olympia tonight in